

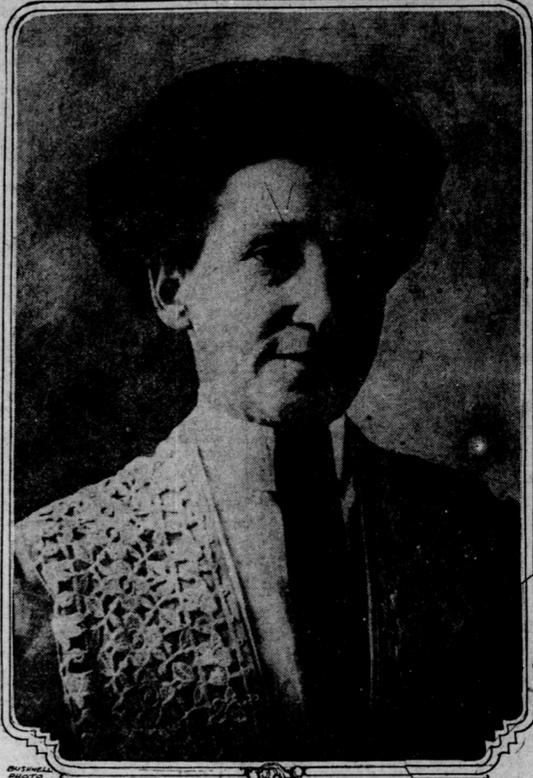
NEWS OF OAKLAND, BERKELEY, ALAMEDA

SEARCH FOR SON IS FUTILE VACATIONS ARE SOCIETY'S RULE
Woman Crosses Continent in Quest

MOTHER AWAITS WORD FROM BOY WHO ASKED AID

Message From Lumber Camp Says Fred Freeland Has Gone to Australia

OAKLAND, July 9.—Poison, kidnaping, divorce, suicide and a test of mother love to the breaking point were involved in the domestic experiences behind the hurried trip across the continent of Mrs. Belle Albright, who arrived in Oakland today from Cumberland, Md., only to find that her son, Fredrick Freeland, whom she had not seen since infancy had disappeared again and probably was dead.



Mrs. Belle Albright of Cumberland, Md., who crosses continent to find son and is disappointed.

After a search of 16 years, which at last promised success, Mrs. Albright learned today that the son she had come to claim and to give the affection which had been denied her for so many years was mysteriously missing and had left no traces behind him.

Back of Mrs. Albright's journey is a life romance which has all the elements of tragedy and proves again the wonderful quality of mother love. For the sake of her boy when he was two years old she bore imprisonment, kidnaping him when he was awarded to the father, Samuel Freeland, following a divorce decree secured by him.

SEARCH LASTS MANY YEARS When Freeland stole away from the Maryland city while she was still in custody on the kidnaping charge, taking the infant with him, Mrs. Albright made frantic efforts to find her missing boy and for a time her life was despaired of. When she learned later that her son, who is 18 years old, had again disappeared, she broke down and wept. She went to remain in Oakland at the home of T. O'Leary, 4006 Fullington street, where her son lived for a year, and meantime a statewide search has been instituted for him.

Through the long years Mrs. Albright had kept track of her son, but at times all traces were lost and she renewed her efforts to locate him. She lived always in the hope that some day she would see him again and be able to claim him.

FATHER COMES SUICIDE Freeland lived with his second wife at 4218 Fullington avenue, only a few doors from where Mrs. Albright is staying with friends. Freeland suspected his second wife, shortly after they moved into the Fullington street home, of infidelity and accused her of loving a man who had boarded at the Freeland home. Threats were made by him and fearing for her life she decided to leave him.

Mrs. Freeland told her husband that she could no longer live with him and dependent at the failure of his two marriages he purchased strychnine and placed the poison in a bottle of wine. He had another interview with his wife and she refused to see him. Unable to bear the humiliation any longer Freeland stepped to the porch of his home and there drank the poison. He staggered into the street, but before medical attention could be given he was dead.

NEWS UNNERVED WOMAN Mrs. Albright arrived today, and sent telegrams to Seattle for information. Word was sent back that the boy had left with the intention of going to Australia. The news unnerved the woman.

"It can't be true," she said through her tears. "He must be here. I can't lose him, now that I am buoyed up with hope and was sure I could claim him again."

JEWELRY AND CASH ARE STOLEN THROUGH WINDOW BERKELEY, July 9.—A gold locket, nine rings, a pair of cut links and \$25 in cash were stolen last night from the apartments at 2150 Center street, occupied by Al Zeimer, formerly a cigar dealer of this city. The burglar gained entrance by opening a window which looks into the main hall of the building.

MAN FOUND DIGGING FOR TREASURE TO BE TRIED

OAKLAND, July 9.—Angelo Cassero, who was captured by Patrolman E. W. Brock a week ago while digging for treasure in the rear yard of a house near Seventh and Grove streets, was held to answer to the superior court today by Police Judge George Samuels on a charge of grand larceny. He is accused of robbing Giuseppe Demain of \$110.

When Brock saw Cassero diligently at work with a spade in a back yard and at last unearth a small package and put it in his pocket, he placed him under arrest. Before he could put his hands upon him Cassero made a movement as if to draw a gun. When he was

searched no weapon was found upon him.

Suspicious that Cassero was trying to conceal something Brock returned to the police station, and in the hole Cassero had dug found a purse containing \$110. The purse was identified by Demain on the witness stand.

THEATER MANAGER SAYS MAN FIRED AT HIM

Robert Galvin was booked at the city prison early yesterday morning on a charge of assault to commit murder. He was arrested on the complaint of Alfred Crawford, manager of the Globe theater, who said Galvin fired two shots at him from a revolver.

Members of East Bay Smart Set Continue Their Exodus for the Summer

OAKLAND, July 9.—Mrs. Felton Taylor and daughter, Sorata Taylor, are leaving next month for a short trip to the Atlantic coast, where Miss Taylor's trousseau for the September wedding will be completed. Mrs. Taylor and daughter will spend some time in Washington, D. C. The betrothal of Miss Taylor and George Smith of Nevada was formally announced a few weeks ago, the marriage plans being told at the same time.

Mrs. Roland Oliver and Mrs. Hugh McCall Webster are spending the season in the high Sierras, planning not to return to town for some weeks.

Miss Helen Nichol will go to Del Monte this week to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes Smith, who are at the resort through the mid season.

Mrs. Charles Butters will close "Roelawn," her Claremont estate, this week, leaving Sunday with her niece, Miss Lois Crosby, for the Atlantic coast. After a few weeks in New York Mrs. Butters will sail for her annual visit abroad, planning to remain on this continent until the early winter, when she will return to California.

With Miss Norma Whitney as her complimented guest, Mrs. John Irwin will entertain informally at a humble bee Saturday afternoon, asking friends to enjoy the midsummer affair. Miss Whitney will leave early in September for New York, where she will await her arrival her marriage with Herman Quinlan will be solemnized.

Of much interest to a wide circle of friends on this side of the bay will be the wedding of John Allen Partington and Miss Inger Aune, which takes place tomorrow evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Pedbr Aune, in San Francisco. For many years the Partington home was made east of the lake and was a center of artistic life. Partington is a brother of Richard Partington, now in Sag Harbor with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens, Miss Blanche Partington and Miss Phyllis Partington. His bride elect belongs to an old family prominent in public affairs in Sweden.

Friends are learning of the betrothal of Charles William Burkhalter, son of Prof. Charles Burkhalter, and Miss Zena Pearl Brown. The wedding will be an event of the later year. Burkhalter is engaged in business in San Francisco. His fiancée is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Brown of Berkeley.

Mrs. Ethel D. Titus has chosen Saturday, August 24, for her marriage with Walter Spencer. While plans for the wedding are still indefinite, the ceremony will probably be solemnized in one of the local churches.

Miss Elizabeth Livermore will entertain Miss Nina Fringle as her house guest this week at the Livermore country place, near St. Helena.

Some Near-By Vacation Spots By Mountain, Stream or Sea Easily Reached From San Francisco Southern Pacific

Table with columns: Time One Way, Leave San Francisco, Rate Round Trip. Lists destinations like Los Gatos, Alma, Eva, Wright, Laurel, Glenwood, Zayante, Eccles, Boulder Creek, Big Trees, Santa Cruz, Capitola, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Paso Robles, Santa Barbara, Byron Hot Spgs., Lake Tahoe, Yosemite Valley, Shasta Springs, Klamath Falls.

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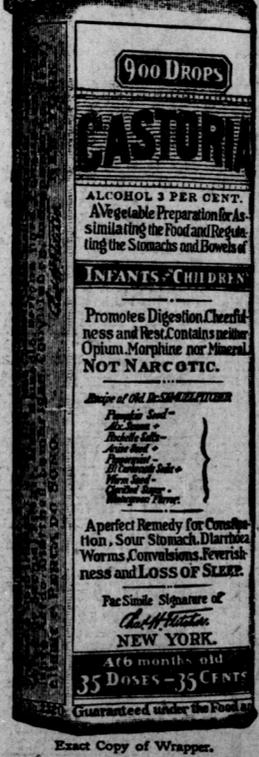
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